



**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**Board of Public Utilities**

**Two Gateway Center**

**Newark, NJ 07102**

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**WATER AND WASTEWATER**

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF )  
THE PARKWAY WATER COMPANY FOR )  
AN INCREASE IN RATES AND CHARGES )  
FOR WATER SERVICE

ORDER SUSPENDING  
INCREASES, CHANGES OR  
ALTERATIONS IN RATES FOR  
WATER SERVICE

BPU DOCKET NO. WR05070634

(Service List Attached)

BY THE BOARD:

On July 26, 2005, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12, Petitioner, Parkway Water Company (Parkway or Petitioner) a public utility of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities (Board) and providing water service to approximately 1,900 customers within a portion of the Township of Howell, Monmouth County, New Jersey filed a petition for a revision of its rates for water service amounting to an overall increase of \$763,426 in annual revenues or 105.01%. The increase in rates is proposed to become effective on August 29, 2005. The Petitioner does not seek interim rate relief pending final determination on the petition.

It appearing that the proposed revisions will increase existing rates and change or alter existing classifications in Petitioner's tariff, it is HEREBY ORDERED that:

- (1) Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21, the proposed revisions be, and are suspended until December 29, 2005, unless the Board prior to that date makes a determination disposing of the petition;
- (2) Petitioner shall, at least ten (10) days prior to the date set for hearing on the petition by the Office of Administrative Law, file with this Board and with the Office of Administrative Law (33 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07102) proof of compliance with the Notice provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:2-32.2 and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12 (b) and (c), which Notice shall include a statement that any relief found by the Board to be just and reasonable may be

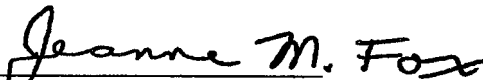
allocated by the Board to any class or classes of customers on any rate or schedule as the Board may determine; and

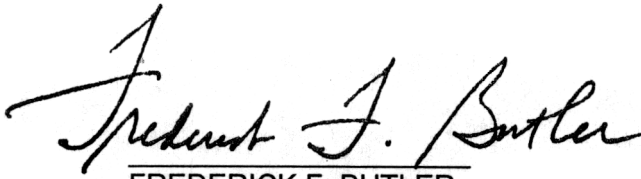
- (3) Petitioner shall, at the same time it files with the Board, also file proof of service copies upon the Office of Administrative Law, the Division of the Ratepayer Advocate (31 Clinton Street, P.O. Box 46005, Newark, NJ 07102), the clerks of each affected municipality, the clerks to the Board of Chosen Freeholders of each affected county, and where appropriate, the executive officer of each affected county within its service area. Service of the petition, notice of hearings and this Suspension Order may be made simultaneously.

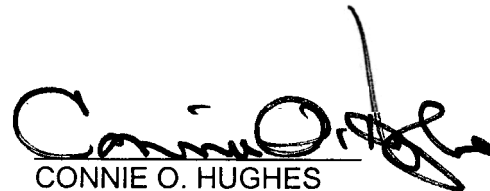
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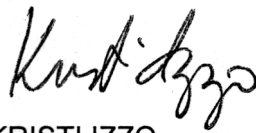
  
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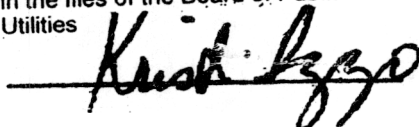
  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within  
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I/M/O the Petition of the  
Parkway Water Company  
For an Increase in Rates and Charges  
For Water Service

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